

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY GABORONE  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 1740  
INFO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS PRIORITY  
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AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM PRIORITY  
AMEMBASSY LAGOS PRIORITY  
AMEMBASSY LILONGWE PRIORITY  
AMEMBASSY LONDON PRIORITY  
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AMEMBASSY MAPUTO PRIORITY  
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C O N F I D E N T I A L GABORONE 0658

CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PDEV WA BC  
SUBJ: NAMIBIA

REF: (A) GABORONE 0659 (B) GABORONE 0652

1. AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE MEETING REPORTED REFTEL, MINEXT  
AFF MOGWE TOOK THE INITIATIVE TO INQUIRE IF WE HAD ANYTHING  
NEW ON NAMIBIA. I HAD BEEN AGREED AMONG UK HICOM TURNER,  
FRG AMBASSADOR SEEGER AND MYSELF THAT I WOULD REPLY. I DID  
SO BY MAKING POINTS AUTHORIZED STATE 56299, DRAWING ON USUN  
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2. MOGWE PICKED UP REFERENCE TO COUNCIL FOR NAMIBIA MISSION  
TO BOTSWANA AND ASKED WHEN IT ARRIVED. TAKING NOTE WITH  
APPRECIATION OF OUR COMMENTS, PARTICULARLY THAT EXCHANGES WITH  
SAG AND SWAPO WERE CONTINUING, MOGWE REITERATED THE POINT MADE  
IN HIS STATEMENTS TO PRESS (REF B) THAT SWAPO HAD MADE IMPORTANT  
CONCESSIONS. MOGWE INTERPRETED BOTHA'S WITHDRAWAL FROM PROXIMITY  
TALKS AS EVIDENCE THAT SAG SAW AGREEMENT WAS POSSIBLE IN VIEW

OF SWAPO CONCESSIONS; SAG FELT IT HAD TO WITHDRAW TO STOP  
OR AT LEAST SLOW THE PROCESS. MOGWE RAPIDLY LISTED KEY SWAPO  
CONCESSIONS AS

- (A) ACCEPTANCE OF SOUTH AFRICAN TROOPS PRESENCE;
- (B) AGREEMENT TO UN SPECIAL REP'S POWERS; AND
- (C) ELECTIONS.

3. MOGWE ASKED IF ANYONE HAD SEEN TEXT OF MUJOMA'S REPORTED  
REMARKS ABOUT OPPOSING MAJORITY RULE IN NAMIBIA. (NO ONE HAD).  
MOGWE DESCRIBED MUJOMA STATEMENT AS MOST UNHELPFUL; HE WAS AT  
A LOSS TO UNDERSTAND WHY HE MADE IT.  
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